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FOR SCOWCROFT FROM SECRETARY KISSINGER

1. YOU MAY PASS TO SCHLESINGER THE FOLLOWING READOUT ON ARMS TALKS IN AMMAN:

- A. IN ANSWER TO JORDANIAN PLEAS FOR SUPPORT I PROMISED THAT USG WOULD BE VERY SYMPATHETIC TO THEIR NEEDS. BUT I ALSO DESCRIBED OUR SERIOUS PROBLEMS WITH THE CONGRESS, AND INDICATED THAT THESE WOULD HAVE TO BE DEALT WITH IN SOME FASHION.
- B. AS TO TOW MISSILES, I PROMISED WE WOULD PROVIDE THEM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. IN THAT REGARD, THE SCHEDULE YOU HAVE LAID OUT IN TOHAK 120 IS FINE.

SECRET: CLASSIFIED BY ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY. EXEMPT FROM GENERAL DECLASSIFICATION SCHEDULE OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 11652 EXEMPTION CATEGORY 5B (1). IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE.

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